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SENATE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to learn of the death of George Kenneth Hughes, Jr. of Waukegan, who passed away on October 21, 2014; and

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WHEREAS, George Hughes, Jr. was born on November 11, 1923 in Salem, Indiana and was a longtime resident of Waukegan; his parents were George K. and Luella Hughes, Sr.; and

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WHEREAS, George Hughes, Jr. served his country as a member of the United States Army in the Pacific during World War II; and

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WHEREAS, After returning from the Army, George Hughes, Jr. obtained his degree from the University of Illinois and took a teaching job in Muskegon, Michigan, where he met his wife of 54 years, Adelaide E. Hughes; he retired from Waukegan School District #60 in 1988 after 24 years as a history teacher at the Waukegan High School West Campus; and

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WHEREAS, George Hughes, Jr. was a member of the First Presbyterian Church in Waukegan; and

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WHEREAS, George Hughes, Jr. was an avid gardener; he was also a rabid University of Illinois fan and a member of the

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1 Sigma Nu fraternity; and

2 WHEREAS, George Hughes, Jr. was preceded in death by his  
3 wife, Adelaide; a son, Charles Hughes; and his parents; and

4 WHEREAS, George Hughes, Jr. is survived by 4 children, Jean  
5 Fitzpatrick, Katherine Hughes, Dorothy (Jerry) Kraus, and  
6 William (Ruth Buddenhagen) Hughes; 8 grandchildren,  
7 Christopher Hughes, Rachel Hughes, Karolena Hughes, Alexander  
8 Hughes, Elizabeth Schroeder, Mallory Schroeder, Adam  
9 Schroeder, and Eric Schroeder; and many nieces and nephews;  
10 therefore, be it

11 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL  
12 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we, along with his  
13 family and friends, mourn the passing of George Kenneth Hughes,  
14 Jr.; and be it further

15 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
16 presented to the family of George Hughes, Jr. as an expression  
17 of our sympathy.